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OFFERS BY MEMBER STATES OF STUDY AND TRAINING FACILITIES FOR INHABITANTS OF TRUST TERRITORIES

Report of the Secretary-General

1. By its resolutions 557 (VI) of 18 January 1952 and 753 (VIII) of 9 December 1953, the General Assembly invited Member States to make available to qualified students from Trust Territories scholarships, fellowships and internships for university study and post-primary and technical education.

2. The programme is administered in accordance with the procedure approved by the Trusteeship Council at its thirteenth session. 1/ Under that procedure, the Secretary-General was invited to submit to the Trusteeship Council, at least once a year, a report containing all appropriate details of the programme. The present report is the forty-first such report and covers the period from 16 May 1992 to 7 May 1993.

3. As stated in previous reports, 11 Member States had in the past made scholarships available under this programme. Those Member States were the following: Czechoslovakia, Hungary, Indonesia, Italy, Mexico, Pakistan, Philippines, Poland, Tunisia, Russian Federation and Yugoslavia.

4. A description of the scholarships offered by Member States is contained in the eighteenth report submitted to the Trusteeship Council at its thirty-sixth session. 2/

5. Up-to-date information concerning the scholarships made available under the programme, as well as the extent to which awards had been made to, and utilized by, students from the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, was requested by the Secretary-General in a note dated 16 April 1993 addressed to Member States that had offered scholarships in previous years.

6. As at 7 May 1993 no information had been received from Member States concerning scholarships made available to students from the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands.

7. Information on scholarships made available under the programme is included in the twenty-seventh edition of Study Abroad (1991/92, 1992/93, 1993/94), published by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO). Copies of Study Abroad are sent to the Administering Authority and to United Nations information centres.

Notes

1/ Official Records of the Trusteeship Council, Thirteenth Session, Annexes, agenda item 13, document T/1093.

2/ Ibid., Thirty-sixth Session, Annexes, agenda item 10, document T/1696.

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DISSEMINATION OF INFORMATION ON THE UNITED NATIONS AND THE INTERNATIONAL TRUSTEESHIP SYSTEM IN THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS

Report of the Secretary-General

1. Pursuant to Trusteeship Council resolution 36 (III) of 8 July 1948 and General Assembly resolution 754 (VIII) of 9 December 1953 the Secretary-General and the Administering Authority of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands continued to cooperate during the period under review in disseminating information to the Trust Territory on the aims and objectives of the International Trusteeship System and of the United Nations. The present report covers the period from 1 May 1992 to 30 April 1993.

2. The Department of Public Information of the Secretariat distributed information material both directly to the Trust Territory and through its information centres, primarily the United Nations Information Centre at Tokyo. The latter transmitted various forms of information to 97 recipients in the Territory. Among the materials sent to the Trust Territory by the Department were the documents of the Trusteeship Council and taped radio, video and film programmes, which were mailed directly from Headquarters to 97 recipients in the Trust Territory.

3. The Department of Public Information produced nine press releases in English and nine in French dealing with the work of the Trusteeship Council during the past year. The press releases featured all the proceedings of the Trusteeship Council meetings held during the review period. The messages of the Secretary-General and the President of the Trusteeship Council on the occasion of United Nations Day were transmitted to the Territory from the Information Centre at Tokyo as a press release.

4. The Department of Public Information aimed at enlightening the people of the Trust and Non-Self-Governing Territories about their right to self-determination, as was demonstrated in some of the radio programmes disseminated to those Territories: "The organs of the United Nations: the Trusteeship Council - its powers and functions"; "The United Nations Trusteeship

System will be a thing of the past if scheduled referendum in Palau is successful"; "Trusteeship Council hears about scheduled referendum in Palau"; and "Trusteeship Council hears about planned referendum in Palau". These radio programmes were produced in Chinese for the Chinese News; in Bangla for the Jati Shongher Protidhoni; in English for the UN News Brief; and in Kiswahili for the JRD LA U.M.

5. The Department of Public Information, through its Anti-Apartheid, Decolonization and Palestine Programmes Section, mailed information materials directly to 97 recipients in the Trust Territory. The materials included the following: Decolonization: The Task Ahead - Profiles of 18 Trust and Non-Self-Governing Territories; "Recent Developments on the Issue of Apartheid in South Africa", August 1992; and "Recent Developments on the Issue of Apartheid in South Africa (II)", March 1993. In addition to Decolonization: The Task Ahead ... the Non-governmental Organizations Section distributed the Declaration on the Granting of Independence to Colonial Countries and Peoples. The materials were sent to the Trust Territory throughout the year, the frequency depending on the nature of the material. The radio programmes were sent weekly for the weekly broadcasts in Chinese, Bangla, English and Kiswahili; the UN Chronicle, a quarterly magazine published in the six official languages, was sent to the recipients every three months.

6. In its September 1992 issue, the UN Chronicle featured an article entitled "Palau very near 'a decisive choice' about its status, Trusteeship Council told". The 1992 issue of the Yearbook of the United Nations, which is under production, is devoting one chapter each to "Questions relating to decolonization" and the "International Trusteeship System".

7. Owing to insufficient funds for travel, neither the Director of the Information Centre at Tokyo nor any representative of the Centre was able to visit the Trust Territory during the period under review.

8. Regarding feedback from the recipients of United Nations information in the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands, the Department of Public Information sent out the second series of questionnaires to 97 recipients by direct mail to the Trust Territory of Palau and responses are expected soon.

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LIST OF UNITED NATIONS INFORMATION MATERIALS DISTRIBUTED IN THE TRUST TERRITORY OF THE PACIFIC ISLANDS (PALAU)

May 1992-April 1993

	No. of copies sent
APARTHEID	
Notes and Documents: Nos. 91/11, 13, 17-25 92/2-9	665
UNETPSA: Questions and Answers	22
DECOLONIZATION	
Decolonization: The Task Ahead	
Profiles of 18 Trust and Non-Self-Governing Territories	152
Teaching about ... Decolonization	92
DEVELOPMENT (SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC)	
Development Forum (vol. 19, No. 4)	10
Africa Recovery (vol. 3, No. 3) (vol. 4, No. 1) (vol. 5, Nos. 2, 3 and 4) (vol. 6, No. 1)	313
DISARMAMENT	
Disarmament Newsletter (vol. 9, Nos. 3, 4, 5 and 6) (vol. 10, Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4)	379
Disarmament Facts, Nos. 76, 77 and 78	30
A periodic review by the UN (vol. XIV, No. 2/1991) (vol. XV)	60
GENERAL	
Declaration of Windhoek on promoting an independent and pluralistic African press	72
UNDP: UN Capital Development Fund	30
UN Volunteers, 20 years of service	10

	No. of copies sent
Africa Recovery (vol. 5, No. 1)	65
WIPO: Climate Change (Environment and Environment and Development)	40
PEACE-KEEPING AND PEACEMAKING	
Agreement on a Comprehensive Political Settlement of the Cambodia Conflict	72
The Blue Helmets	35
The Singapore Symposium	57
El Salvador Agreements: The Path to Peace	
Teaching about ... Peace-keeping	22
RACIAL DISCRIMINATION	
Objective: Justice (vol. XIX, No. 2 (1987)) (vol. XXII, No. 2 (1990)) (vol. XXIII, No. 1 (1991))	77
REFUGEES AND DISASTER RELIEF ASSISTANCE	
Refugees (UNHCR), No. 89 (May 1992)	10
Division for Palestinian Rights (vol. XIII, Nos. 10 and 11)	
International Decade for Natural Disaster Reduction	40
Student map (natural disasters)	160
UNITED NATIONS	
Teaching about ... Literacy	72
United Nations Information Centres	224
United Nations Focus:	
AIDS: international response to a global threat	74
Challenges to human rights at the close of the twentieth century	74
Changing the status quo: the work of the United Nations for women	74
The limits of sovereignty	37

	No. of copies sent
Traditional practices	37
The United Nations and international law	37
The specialists who monitor human rights	22
Notes for speakers	115
United Nations in Brief	88
International Year of the Family, 1994	22
WOMEN	
Women - Challenges to the Year 2000	92
MESSAGES AND REPORTS	
Message by the Secretary-General on the occasion of United Nations Day	40
Message by the President of the General Assembly on the occasion of United Nations Day	40
Message by the President of the Trusteeship Council on the occasion of United Nations Day	40
Report of the Secretary-General on the work of the Organization, 1992	40
An Agenda for Peace	40
VIDEO CASSETTES	
World Chronicle, Nos. 463, 465-471, 477-495, 497 and 498	28
UN in Action, Nos. 215-221, 237-259	12
POSTERS	
World Conference on Human Rights	
International Year of the World's Indigenous People, 1993	
PHOTOGRAPHS	
Photograph and biography of Secretary-General Boutros Boutros-Ghali	

The Distribution Section of the Office of Conference Services of the Secretariat at Headquarters sent 97 copies of the following documents to the Trust Territory:

Trusteeship Council, verbatim records of the twenty-first special session and the fifty-ninth session (T/PV.1690-1697)

Official Records of the Security Council, Forty-seventh Year, Special Supplement No. 1 (S/25261 and Corr 1)

Trusteeship Council documents:

T/1962 to T/1968
T/L.1281 to T/L.1283
T/PET.10/759
T/RES/2195 (LIX)
T/INF/40 and Corr.1.

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REPORT OF THE SECRETARY-GENERAL ON CREDENTIALS

1. Pursuant to rules 14 and 16 of the rules of procedure of the Trusteeship Council, the Secretary-General has the honour to submit to the Trusteeship Council the following report.

2. The Secretary-General has examined the credentials of the representatives of States members of the Trusteeship Council and of the specialized agencies to the Trusteeship Council at its sixtieth session, which were communicated to him under rules 14 and 16, respectively, of the rules of procedure of the Trusteeship Council.

3. The Secretary-General has found that all the credentials received have been issued in accordance with the provisions of the above-mentioned rules.

4. The names of the representatives and the composition of the delegations to the Trusteeship Council at its sixtieth session appear in the annex to the present report.

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LIST OF DELEGATIONS TO THE SIXTIETH SESSION
OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

I. MEMBERS OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

CHINA

Representative:	H.E. Mr. LI Zhaoxing
Alternate representative:	Mr. ZHANG Yan
Adviser:	Mrs. YANG Xiuping

FRANCE

Representatives:	M. Jean FELIX-PAGANON M. Francis DELON Mlle Sylvie BERMANN M. Bruno FOUCHER

RUSSIAN FEDERATION

Representative:	Mr. Vasiliy S. SIDOROV
Alternate representative:	Mr. Semyon A. DZAKHAEV

UNITED KINGDOM OF GREAT BRITAIN
AND NORTHERN IRELAND

Representative:	H.E. Mr. Thomas L. RICHARDSON
Alternative representatives:	Mr. Derek J. PLUMBLY Mr. Michael C. WOOD Mr. W. C. PATEY Mr. Julian Ascott EVANS Mr. James F. de WAAL

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Representative:	H.E. Mr. Edward S. WALKER, Jr.
Alternate representative:	Mr. Joseph MANSO
Special representative:	The Hon. Tommy REMENGESAU, Jr.

Special representative	The Hon. Evence BECHES
advisers:	The Hon. Harry FRITZ
	Mr. Tony MIKEL
	Mr. Elbuchel SADANG
	The Hon. Alan R. SEID
	Mr. Victorio UHERBELAU
	Mr. Charles UONG
Special adviser:	The Hon. Allen P. STAYMAN
Advisers:	Ms. Lynne F. LAMBERT
	Mr. Joseph H. McDERMOTT
	Mr. Stephen D. SANDER
	Mr. Michael P. SCHARF

II. SPECIALIZED AGENCIES

INTERNATIONAL LABOUR ORGANISATION

Representatives:	Mr. Ian G. CHAMBERS
	Mr. Georges MINET

FOOD AND AGRICULTURE ORGANIZATION
OF THE UNITED NATIONS

Representatives:	Mr. Jean SYROGIANIS-CAMARA
	Mr. Frederick H. WEIBGEN
	Mr. Michael HAJJ

UNITED NATIONS EDUCATIONAL,
SCIENTIFIC AND CULTURAL
ORGANIZATION

Representative:	Mrs. Neh DUKULY-TOLBERT

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LETTER DATED 13 MAY 1993 FROM THE DEPUTY PERMANENT REPRESENTATIVE OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TO THE UNITED NATIONS ADDRESSED TO THE PRESIDENT OF THE TRUSTEESHIP COUNCIL

President Nakamura has indicated that the Government of Palau intends to hold a plebiscite regarding the Compact of Free Association. Such a plebiscite appears likely to occur on 27 July 1993. The United States Government invites the Trusteeship Council to send a mission to observe this plebiscite.

(Signed) Edward S. WALKER, Jr.
Deputy Permanent Representative
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